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FOR UNDERHILL FROM HOLBROOKE

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, ASEAN, RP

SUBJECT:PRESS QUERY ON U.S. BASES AND SOUTHEAST ASIAN  
POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS

REF: KUALA LUMPUR 1462

THANKS FOR ALERTING US TO THE LEAKS CONCERNING YOUR CABLES.  
THEY WILL NOT CAUSE ANY LASTING DAMAGE BUT I AM SORRY THAT  
IT IS SO DIFFICULT FOR US TO EXCHANGE VIEWS, AS YOU  
SUGGESTED TO ME IN TOKYO, WITHOUT SOMEONE DOING SOMETHING  
LIKE THIS. I APPRECIATED YOUR THOUGHTFUL AND PROVOCATIVE  
CABLES, AND WILL ON ANOTHER OCCASION RESPOND WITH SOME OF  
MY OWN VIEWS.

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